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TO-DAY'S CABLES.

(Reader's Service to the China Mail)

EMPIRE TRADE

OCEAN FREIGHTS AND FACILITIES.

SUGGESTIONS SOUGHT.

LONDON, July 28.

The Board of Trade announce that the Imperial Shipping Committee is prepared to receive before January 1 suggestions from any persons or firms in the Empire regarding ocean freights and facilities, and conditions in inter-Imperial trade.

GENERAL DYER.

PUBLIC SUBSCRIPTIONS RAISED.

LONDON, July 28.

In the House of Commons, replying to Major Mackenzie Wood with regard to public subscriptions being raised on behalf of General Dyer, Mr. Winston Churchill said that the King's Regulations forbade the acceptance of such a present but as General Dyer had now applied to retire he did not propose to take any action.

POLAND SURPRISED.

BOLSHEVIKS ATTACK IN SPITE OF ARMISTICE.

VIOLENT FIGHTING.

WARSAW, July 28.

A communiqué states that in spite of the acceptance of the Polish armistice proposal, the Bolsheviks resumed violent attacks on the whole front, capturing various points eastward of the Galician frontier and advancing 20 kilometres southwards of Grodno.

BOLSHEVIKS CROSSING LINE DEFINED AT SPA.

BERLIN, July 28.

A Warsaw wireless message states that the Bolsheviks have captured Pišsk and are crossing the line defined as the Spa Conference's armistice proposal.

A message from Berlin states that the Russian commanders were disinclined to cease hostilities in accordance with the Soviet's orders owing to the prevalence of Tsarist officers.

LURE OF POWER.

The leading Russian Nationalists, failing to win Allied help, have established an organisation in Berlin endeavouring to secure the co-operation of the German reactionaries, who welcome the alliance, hoping thereby to regain power and acquire political and economic predominance in Russia.

TO ESTABLISH BOLSHEVIK REPUBLIC.

COPENHAGEN, July 28.

A Magdeburg paper asserts that an agreement has been signed between the Soviet, the German Independent Socialists, and the Spartacists providing for the proclamation of a Bolshevik republic in Königsberg, Danzig, Breslau, and other towns immediately the Soviet's troops have crossed the frontier, also the formation of a Red German army under the Russian General Tontschefi, and the establishment of revolutionary tribunals, communist municipal commissions, and the nationalisation of industry, the Russian army maintaining order and protecting the proletariat.

INCREASED RAILWAY FARES.

NEW RATES START EARLY IN AUGUST.

LONDON, July 28.

In the House of Commons, Mr. Bonar Law announced that the Government had accepted all the recommendations of the railway rates committee except with regard to workmen's fares the increase of which would be further considered. The increased fares operate from August 6, except the workmen's which operate from September 1.

LEAGUE COUNCIL MEETING.

IMPORTANT SUBJECTS TO BE DISCUSSED.

BLOCKADE POWERS.

LONDON, July 28.

The Secretariat of the League of Nations announces that the subjects to be discussed at the meeting of the Council at San Sebastian on July 30 will include the co-ordination of measures for applying blockade as a weapon of the League, the creation of an international permanent health organisation, the best methods of applying the dispositions of the covenant in connection with the administration of the ex-German overseas possessions by mandatory powers, the relations between the Council and the Assembly of the League, the claim from the Government of India for membership, and the Executive committee of the international labour office.

TAXATION LIMIT REACHED.

GOVERNMENT ACCUSED OF EXTRAVAGANCE.

"IGNORANT AND FOOLISH."

LONDON, July 28.

In the House of Commons, on the third reading of the Finance Bill, Mr. Asquith contended that the wasteful and extravagant expenditure was more attributable to Government policy than to the administration. He cited the example of Mesopotamia where the estimates were recently largely reduced but the forces are now being increased.

Mr. Austen Chamberlain agreed that Britain had about reached the limit of her taxable capacity. He pointed out that the expenditure in 1918 and 1919 was £34,000,000, and £46,000,000. It was reduced to £21,060,000 last year, and to £12,820,000 this year. He believed it to be an ignoble and foolish policy to give up all care for Mesopotamia and Palestine and abandon our responsibilities elsewhere. We purchased neither security nor economy thereby. The Government had gone as near to rationing the Army, Navy, and Air Force as was possible in a world where we were not masters of events.

The Bill passed the third reading.

THE DOLLAR.

To-day's closing rate 4/0.  
To-day's opening rate 4/0.

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Reader's Service to the China Mail)

THE BOULOGNE CONFERENCE.

LONDON, July 28.  
The British Note to the Soviet regarding the future of Poland was drafted this afternoon at Boulogne according to Mr. Lloyd George's instructions. Mr. Millerand approved of it, provided that the conference did not imply recognition of the Soviet. The Note was signed on behalf of Great Britain alone. It will be submitted to America and Italy before despatch to Moscow.

The French are sceptical of the immaturity of the conference and of the conference being confined to Poland but, if arranged, they are determined not to be drawn to other paths. France is willing to waive the question of the repudiation of the Russian Debt and the cessation of the Soviet propaganda until the Russo-Polish question is settled.

It is believed that if the Soviet displays sincerity in the Polish preliminaries, the negotiations may be widened.

The Premiers did not discuss the surrender of General Wrangel.

Lithuania has sent an ultimatum to the Soviet, owing to the failure of the Bolsheviks to evacuate Vilna.

MEXICAN RIDDLE.

EAGLE PASS (Texas). July 28.  
General Villa's arrival at Sabines was followed by a sharp encounter with small Government forces. It is reported that Villa's forces number 400. Villa is about to start on the war-path unless his surrender on his terms is accepted by the Huerta Government.

It is stated that Villa has seized the American brewer Mr. Haegelin, whom he is holding for ransom.

MEXICO CITY. July 28.  
A Government bulletin states that Villa telegraphed to Senor Huerta offering his surrender unconditionally. The Government instructed him to report himself to General Martínez and repair the railway. Villa replied that the railway was repaired, signing himself "Affectionately, Francisco Villa."

All the trains are now running regularly northward.

NEGRO PUGILIST.

NEWARK July 27.  
Harry Wells, the negro heavy-weight boxer, knocked out Fred Fulton in the third round in a 12-round contest.

IN SINGAPORE.

PROHIBITIVE LIVING EXPENSES.

WORST PLACE IN WIDE WORLD.

A well-known shipping man who reached Brisbane by the steamer "Mataram" from Singapore declared that Singapore was the worst place in the wide world to live in at present. He explained that living expenses were prohibitive. The absolute minimum hotel rates averaged 15 dollars a day, the dollar having a fixed value of 25.4d. Even at those rates accommodation was difficult to obtain, and at the best could only be described as second class. Commenting generally upon affairs in the Straits Settlements, he stated that the market was down to nothing, that was to say, it was equal to the normal pre-war market. When the "Mataram" left Singapore in June it was quoted at 106 cents and rubber at 15 cents less than a fortnight previously. He attributed the falling off to the influence of Japanese financiers who were fighting strongly for a forward position in the Singapore market. Singapore so far has practically escaped the epidemic of strikes. One was instituted recently but had no chance from the outset and fizzled out in two days. Generally speaking, he concluded that the conditions in the East can be regarded as satisfactory, and will further improve.

OH, PHILIPPINES!

Oh, Philippines, Isles of my dreams,  
I greet you from our rocky shores!  
A Minstrel sings beside our streams  
And roams with a heart that adores.

My yearning to see you is great,  
And admire your beauties unodd;  
I know not if you will greet  
"Dahuyas" when your shores I behold!

But time will come when I will be  
In Philippines, where stars are dreams;  
I will sing and fare on the sea,  
When the moonbeam in' my heart gleams.

Far from you I touch the lyre's chord,  
And like the birds I sing at heart;  
With your Minstrels I left the gourd  
To give you greetings from my heart!

ESANIP.

Hongkong, July 28.

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Terms—Cash on delivery.

LAMMERT BROS.,  
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A Quantity of

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Comprising—

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silk embroidered pictures, tapestry  
curtains, carpets, rug, electric fittings,  
etc., etc.

Teak extension dining table & chairs,  
teak sideboard, teak dinner wagon,  
teak ice chest, tea tables, teak flower  
stands, dinner service, etc., etc.

Double & single teak & iron bedsteads,  
double & single teak vanities, teak  
dressing tables, teak chests of drawers,  
enamelled bathes, patten, basins, etc., etc.

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Pantry & Kitchen Requisites,

1 Victoria with cabinet & 40 records,  
1 Singer's Sewing Machine with elec-  
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1 Armchair with 11 canaries.

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TUESDAY,  
August 3rd, 1920, at 2.30 p.m. at his residence No. 150, Plantation Road,  
The Peak.

THE  
Valuable Household Furniture,  
etc., etc.,  
therein contained.

HALL—Blackwood Side Tables,  
Hallstand, Clairs Brass Ornaments,  
etc.

DRAWING ROOM—Upholstered  
Sofa and Arm-chairs made by Lane,  
Crawford & Co., (good as new), heavy  
Pile Carpets & Rugs, Blackwood Cabri-  
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and Engravings, curtains, etc.

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Mirror back Sideboard, Extension Di-  
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and good as new. Dinner Service, Glass  
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BEDROOMS—White enamelled Twin  
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Trunk, Tables, Chest-of-drawers, etc.,  
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Also

Electric Fans and Radiator, Tennis  
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Pots, Fine Maidens Hair Fern, Pot Plants,  
4 Garden Seats, etc., etc.

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Hongkong, July 27, 1920.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction,  
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**WEDNESDAY,**  
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boards, Dinner Wagons, Extension Din-  
ing Tables and Chairs, etc., Dinner  
Services, Cutlery, and Glass Ware,  
Cooking Stoves, Ovens, etc., Bath  
Room Utensils, Electro-Plated Ware,  
Electric Bedding Lamps and Fans,  
Blackwood and Teakwood Screens, a  
quantity of Blackwood Furniture, Side  
Tables, Chairs, Cabinets, Pictures,  
Carpets, new and second-hand,  
also

One Good Piano, 1 Enameled Bath,  
American Ice Chest, and 1 large Riecha.  
(Full Particulars from Catalogue).

Terms:—Cash:  
**HUGHES & HOUGH**,  
Auctioneers.  
Hongkong, July 27, 1920.

**KEATING'S**  
WORM  
TABLETS

A pure vegetable extract  
method of administration. Hence  
it is safe and reliable.  
It is particularly  
suitable for children.  
Chemists and Druggists  
will supply it.

## INTIMATIONS.

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OFFICE  
PUBLIC HOLIDAY

THIS Office will be open for all pur-  
poses from 9 A.M. to 12 Noon on  
MONDAY, the 2nd August, 1920.

Licensed Warehouses will be  
entirely CLOSED on that day.  
C. W. BECKWITH,  
Superintendent,  
Imports and Exports.  
Hongkong, July 29, 1920.

## BANK HOLIDAY.

IN accordance with Ordinance No. 5  
of 1912, the EXCHANGE BANKS  
will be CLOSED for the Transaction of  
PUBLIC BUSINESS on MONDAY,  
the 2nd August, 1920.

**HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO  
STEAMBOAT CO. LTD.**

## NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

A INTERIM DIVIDEND OF ONE  
DOLLAR per Share for the six  
months ending 30th June, 1920, will be  
PAYABLE on TUESDAY, August 10th,  
on which date Dividend Warrants may  
be obtained on application at the Com-  
pany's Office.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the  
Company will be CLOSED from TUES-  
DAY, August 3rd to TUESDAY,  
August 10th, both days inclusive,  
during which period no Transfer of  
Shares can be Registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors.  
JOHN ARNOLD,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, July 17, 1920.

**HONGKONG TRAMWAY COMPANY,  
LIMITED.**

(Incorporated in the United Kingdom)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that  
AN INTERIM DIVIDEND OF  
NINE PENCE per Share on account of  
the year 1920, has been declared.

The DIVIDEND will be payable on  
and after WEDNESDAY, the 25th day  
of August 1920, to Shareholders on the  
Register on TUESDAY, the 10th day  
of August 1920, and will be paid to  
Shareholders on the Colonial (Hongkong)  
Register at the exchange rate of 3/8 per  
Dollar.

By Order of the Board,  
R. J. WILTON,  
Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, July 26, 1920.

**THE DRAGON MOTOR CAR CO.**

WE have installed an additional  
TELEPHONE and clients can  
now ring up No. 482 or 3552.

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instruc-  
tions to sell by Public Auction,  
(for account of the concerned),

on

**WEDNESDAY,**  
August 4, 1920, commencing at 2.30 p.m.,  
at their Sales Rooms, No. 8,  
Des Voeux Road, Corner of  
Ice House Street,

A Small Consignment of  
WHITE GOODS, etc., etc.,  
Comprising:

Floor Cases, White Satin Quilts,  
Turkish Towels, Bath Towels, Bath  
Sheets, Double Bed Sheets, Battenberg  
and Drawnwork Bedspreads, Table  
Covers, Crochet and Drawnwork  
Dollies, Table Cloths, Linen Damask  
Serviettes,

Also

A few lots of Bellow Valises, Kit  
Bags, Suit Cases, and Attache Cases  
And

Two Pairs Prismatic Binoculars.  
(All new goods and in small lots.)

TERMS:—Cash.

**HUGHES & HOUGH**,  
Auctioneers.

Hongkong, July 27, 1920.

Just arrived  
a large assortment of

FILTERS

1 Gallon up to 4 gallons



C. E. WARREN & CO., LTD.

No. 30 & 31 Des Voeux Road Central

Established 1920

## INTIMATIONS.

### NOTICE.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH is closed  
from SUNDAY the 1st August,  
during repairs &c., and will be re-  
opened on SUNDAY the 12th Sept.  
1920.

### NOTICE.

WE have THIS DAY removed our  
Office to the top floor of Nos.  
250 & 252, Des Voeux Road Central,  
(MESSRS. KWONG SANG HONG'S MAIN  
PREMISES).

MOW FUNG & CO., LTD.

Hongkong, July 19, 1920.

### NOTICE.

I beg to inform my Customers and  
the General Public that I have  
returned to the Colony and established  
myself as a Milliner and General Draper  
at No. 4, D'Aguilar Street, and will  
carry on business as before under the  
style and firm name of **HIPPOOLA & CO.**

I am showing new goods of the most  
fashionable and latest styles and ask  
my old patrons and constituents to extend  
their support as done in the  
past.

Inspection is cordially invited.

**HIPPOOLA,**  
Milliner and Draper  
Hongkong, July 23, 1920.

### S. S. "FAUSANG."

Tenders are invited for the purchase of  
the wreck of the above steamer as  
she lies off Maimai Head Reef.

**GILMAN & CO., LTD.**  
Agents, The Salvage Association,  
London.

Hongkong, July 21, 1920.

### WHEN YOU EAT TOO MUCH.

DISTRESS is relieved by taking one of Chamber-  
lain's Tablets. Try it the next time  
you eat more than you should. For sale  
by all Chemists and Storekeepers.

## DELIGHTFUL & REFRESHING for Summer use.

Watson's

YE OLDE ENGLISH

LAVENDER WATER

\$1.25 \$2.00 \$3.75

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EAU DE COLOGNE

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A perfume that will satisfy the most critical—in elegant crystal globe bottles.

\$1.00 \$1.75 \$3.25

A. S. WATSON &amp; CO., LTD.,

The Hongkong Dispensary.

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"TARANTULLE" FOR DAINTY HOME SEWN "LING CLOTHES"

SUPPLIED IN THREE WEIGHTS AND PRICES—

STANDARD. FINE. SUPER-FINE.

The China Mail.  
"TRUTH, JUSTICE, PUBLIC SERVICE."

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, JULY 30, 1920.

PROGRESS?

Man's idea of progress cannot be separated from nature's idea of adaptation. It means making life more comfortable, perfecting the conditions, paring away the disgreables. Arrived at this stage of thought, we must take cognizance of "more than one point" of view.

To that eye of faith which believes in the moral perfeccibility of man, and declares that this life is only a preparation for another, pre-ordained and better, human efforts toward other forms of progress, social amelioration and the like, should seem impertinent. Why mitigate the rigour of a test, and so make it less a test? Why dismiss those teachers in a preparatory school—the hardships and trials of this life—and so make the probation for the next less satisfactory? We do not know why men entertain mutually exclusive ideas. Presumably they require an injection of the germ of analysis, the serum of savvy.

Then there is the pseudoscientific perception of evolutional progress, as a movement toward a perfection that must ultimately come automatically and in accordance with law, we neither helping nor hindering. That is not the scientific idea of evolution. That is not true Darwinism, which recognizes no plan or scheme, but merely the visible facts of a process. Moreover, it is decidedly not a morally wholesome belief, since it must (but for that same chronic inconsistency of man) tend toward a desistance of all effort, and so to stagnation. Adaptation requires effort.

Adaptation is an idea that embraces more than the adaptation of the individual to an unchangeable environment. It includes the adaptation of the environment to man, which in some ways man has actually achieved, and is still busily attempting. In either case we get something, we are obliged to call progress. The Pacific islander becomes a perfect swimmer; the Hollander builds great sea dykes; both are modes of meeting the embarrassment of too much sea. The great cause of adaptation was al-

ways eliminated, responsible for wonderful changes of habit in man, who could not change the climates to suit themselves. To a comparatively infinitesimal extent, and tentatively, man now essayes to modify climate, by encouraging rainfall, for instance. As his understanding of the conditions grows, he may yet be able to do more.

Physically, the aspect which naturally comes first, we can hardly claim that man has progressed very far, if at all. He is certainly not, with all his study of disease, healthier in the mass than his earlier progenitors. He is less robust, less agile. His teeth are going. His dodges and devices in the name of progress, such as cooking and clothes and machinery, have helped him to progress mentally, in curing, but also to retrogress in health. Progress has meant new ailments, with which he must now cope.

Intellectually his progress could be exaggerated. So far back as intellectual vestiges are traceable, we find a human mentality quite capable of any of our modern stunts, given the material means, and accidental discoveries that have favoured and helped our thinkers. Still, on the whole, we seem entitled to register an appreciable progress in the powers of the brain. Not, general enough, not yet sufficiently widespread, but extending from generation succeeds generation. This in any case was inevitable, experience being the best teacher and perfection (or what stands for it) coming by practice.

Morally, the progress of mankind beyond historic knowledge is less certain. Forms have changed; but the proportions of virtue and of vice in the individual appear to have remained fairly constant, whether we contemplate the ancient Greek philosopher or the modern patriot. Civilization has not eradicated the barbaric passions, emotions, and instincts, nor has it evolved anything adequately to curb them and keep them in check.

All our social organizations are quite obviously still in the experimental stage, and we are no further in this department than the people of the dead races and dominions of whom we have records. While as-for individuals, we get very little more out of life, in some ways much less, than our farragay forefathers did. On the whole, where we may feel obliged to admit signs of progress, we may modify the admission by stating that the progress seems to have been in a circle. We have advanced peripherally, but are still as near the fixed leg of the compass as when we started on our round.

## ADVERSARIA.

The football season is FOOTBALL less further away than MATTERS. It was. Has anything been done about providing sufficient grounds? This is not a copper-penny matter. It affects so many people that no apology is needed for giving it full attention. We have had two referents to it in the off-season, because that is the time to get busy, making ready for the next. Ask anybody interested in the League, or in football generally—they all tell the same tale, that more grounds are required. Our solution was extra grounds on the upper or eastern portion of the Happy Valley, removing the golf bunkers for the purpose. Our argument was that few golfers use this place, and that they have other places. We also noted the danger of golf to the public in this part. One man had his eye knocked out. The idea of sending footballers over to the New Territory is ridiculous.

Last season, there GROUNDS, were 12 teams in the Second Division and six in the First—18 teams all with their own following, and there are only three grounds at Happy Valley. By using these twice, at 2.30 and 4.15, twelve of the teams were able to play. Six were out of it. Six League teams had to stand down. Next season, owing to the bigger naval and military contingents, the number of teams will be more. The need should really be seen to at once. The Yau Ma Tei ground is useless, indeed, too dangerous to play on, and Kowloon must have a ground. That should be easy, provided there is goodwill on the part of the Government.

The Mercantile MERCHANTILE ASSOCIATION REPORTER is shocked to find that the famous collier steamer "River Clyde," which made such an immortal page of history at Gallipoli on April 25, 1915, has been sold to Spanish owners for £11,500.

The treasury gains that, but the nation loses a national relic and a treasure trophie, says the service paper added. "It admits that it is a matter of sentiment, but we know that many members of the Mercantile Marine will share that sentiment."

The V.R.C. MIDGET NEW YACHT Club was formally organized last night. Twenty-two small yachts—twelve footers—have been contracted for, and are to be delivered at the rate of three a month. It is hoped to have races before the end of the year. The following officials were elected:

Commodore: R. E. Bellies. Vice-commodore: Tom Wright. Treasurer: M. Berg.

Secretary: Messrs. Agassiz, Aves, and Souza.

We are mean and suspicious enough to guess at a "con-game," however.

## SYNTHETIC OPIUM?

## IS THIS A CONFIDENCE MAN?

## QUEER BUSINESS PROPOSITION.

This morning as ever was, into the office of a friend of ours, entered boldly a gall stranger. Swarthy, seemingly "Portuguese or European," according to our informant, he was a young man in the twenties. He asked permission to unfold a business proposition.

Incidentally he mentioned a few local names of prominence as

of acquaintances, and said he had just come down from Canton.

In Canton he has a friend, a German doctor, who has found out how to

make opium from cheap chemicals.

The real drug is dear. The demand

is always great. Here was fortune to be picked up. Would our friend care to come in on the ground floor?

Our friend wouldn't and didn't, and got rid of him, telephoning us at once. We shall be glad to hear from any other business men upon whom this enterpriser has called. Probably the police will be just as eager to be let in on it.

It is obvious that if synthetic opium

can be cheaply produced at Canton, (a

proposition we do not unquestioningly accept) there are big problems ahead for the Hongkong government, and for others.

We are mean and suspicious enough to guess at a "con-game," however.

## LOTTERY TICKETS SEIZED.

## ALLEGED GAMING HOUSE.

## CASE FROM KOWLOON CITY.

Before Magistrate Hutchison at the Magistracy this morning, Inspector Fox of Kowloon City charged three Chinese with the unlawful possession of a large quantity of papier lottery tickets, and implements for the printing of same.

The first defendant was further charged with keeping a common gaming house.

Mr. Leo Longinotto appeared for the defence and applied for a remand and bail.

The Inspector said that the defendants came to Kowloon City from the

country and rented a flat for the alleged

purpose of making boots and shoes to be sold at Canton and Macao.

Instead, they brought to the flat printing

machines, types and other implements, and printed lottery tickets for sale.

As the result of information received, the Police yesterday raided the flat and seized the machinery, etc.

The Inspector did not object to a

remand but asked that bail be fixed in the sum of \$500 each.

Mr. Longinotto said that while he

did not think that \$500 was too much

in the case of the first defendant, who

was the alleged ringleader, he cer-

tainly thought that in the case of the

other two defendants, \$500 was too

much, in view of the fact that they

were only tools of the other defen-

dant, and acted as salesmen.

The Magistrate: Salesmen?

Counsel: Distributors I mean.

I suggest that \$500 for the first defen-

dant, and \$250 for each of the others

would meet the case.

The Magistrate: I accept that.

The case was remanded until August 6.

## Before Magistrate Smith, at the

Magistracy this morning, a Chinaman

was charged with the unlawful

possession of a large quantity of per-

cussion caps.

He said that he was a

runner. He was employed by a man

to take the trunk containing the cap

to the country.

He had no knowl-

edge of the contents.

Inspector Moore,

who prosecuted, said that he believed

the defendant's story and would not

press the charge against him.

The Magistrate discharged the defendant and ordered the confiscation of the contraband.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

sident Wilson obstinately clinging to "all or nothing," fearing to lose the Covenant, whereas he should have been glad to lose the other part. Those who believe in the Fourteen Points (and all honest men do that) will feel that the Covenant, once signed, however often violated, cannot die. Fabian tactics to keep it alive are all that are possible at present. The patient must get worse before it gets better, and then we shall see.

A man writes from ADVICE. Canton to the Editor:

"Let your adversaria carry on. Tell him to persevere. It is good work to disabuse our people of the crippling delusion that we are 'damnably perfect.'

Peking papers report that the Hon. Bertrand Russell, the noted British philosopher, has accepted a chair in the Peking University, and will give lectures from this autumn.

The Moiuchi says that the Nine earthquakes were experienced in Tokyo on July 12 between half-past ten in the morning and noon, but very few persons noticed them as the quakes were slight. An officer of the Central Observatory says that Oshima reported 15 earthquakes that day, and they think that the volcano on that island had probably had several small eruptions but the mists hang about the top, so persistently that they are unable to take any observations.

Four of the best known scientists in Japan left on the "Persia Maru" a week ago to attend the Pan-Pacific Scientific Congress to be held at Honolulu in August. Scientists from all countries bordering on the Pacific will be present, in addition to many from European countries. Japan's representatives are: Dr. Omori, seismologist; Dr. Yamazaki, geographer; Dr. Kishigami, marine biologist; and Dr. Shigata, chemist and

chemistry expert.

Captain Mackenzie, who has

made many flights in Peking, recently completed the Rome-Tokyo flight, will shortly pass through Shanghai on their return to their native land. They expect later, we are informed, to try to fly from Rome to Tokyo, via the Atlantic, America, and the Pacific. They hope they will be picked up. What will be the highest bid being \$16,000.

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Tenders are being invited from

the public by the Tsing House for

the sale of a collection of gold and silver

plates and other kinds of utensils,

formerly forming a part of the

articles of the Imperial Household.

Ten prospective buyers have offered

prices, the highest bid being \$16,000.

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The Japanese Aviation School

authorities have decided to produce

airplanes of a purely Japanese type.

Among those already under construction is a machine with the upper

plane 10.75 metres long, and the

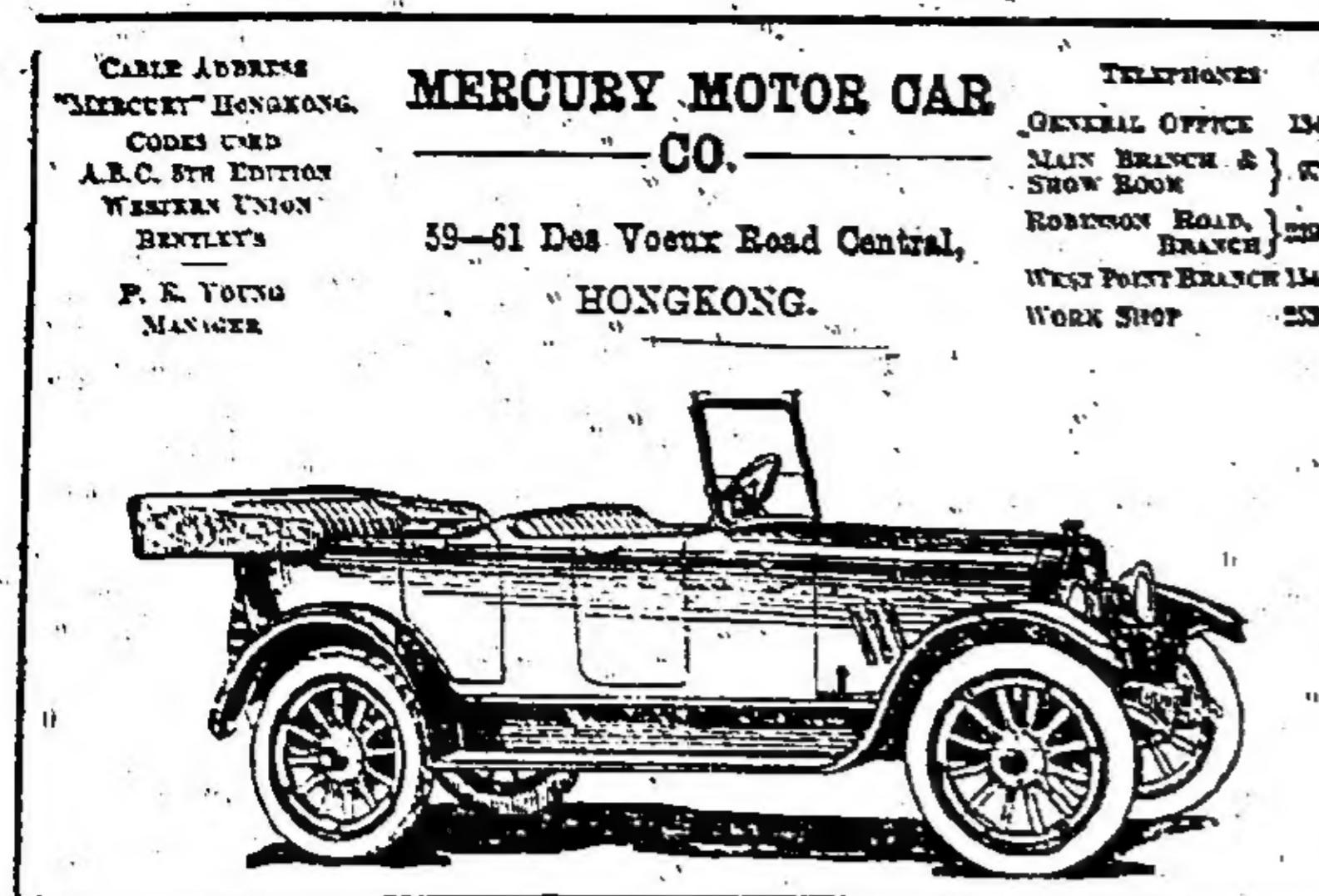
lower plane 10.08 metres long, which

will carry an American Holescot 125

H.P. engine. This machine is ex-

pected to be completed towards the

end of this month. Preparations are



## LOSS OF LUEN ON.

## JUDGMENT FOR DEFENDANTS.

The marine insurance action arising out of the loss of the Luen On was concluded in the Supreme Court yesterday, Mr. Justice Gompertz, Acting Chief Justice, giving judgment for the defendants.

The Luen On was lost in November 1917, while on a voyage to Manila and Young Kong, Yun, trading as Wat Tze now claimed from the Young Shing Insurance and Investment Co., Ltd., the sum of \$20,000, under a marine policy of insurance for that amount dated November 7, 1917, on the Luen On subscribed by the defendants.

Mr. W. H. Drummond, instructed by Mr. C. E. H. Beavis appeared for the plaintiff and Mr. Eldon Potter and Mr. F. C. Jenkins, instructed by Mr. G. R. Haywood was for the defendants.

The defence was that plaintiff was not interested in the Luen On and that the vessel was not sea-worthy at the commencement of the risk.

The defendants denied that the vessel was insured against perils of the seas. The defendants were liable under the policy only in the event of being sunk during the voyage by running against rocks or reefs, or by typhoon or waves. Defendants denied that the vessel was lost or alternately, if she had been lost, denied that her loss was caused by any of the perils insured against. It was also contended that the policy did not cover this particular voyage, as defendants liability was determined when the put back into Hongkong after starting on a voyage to Manila.

His Lordship held that plaintiff had failed to discharge the onus cast upon him of proving that the vessel was sunk by one of the perils insured against.

## ALLEGED THREATS.

## TWO MEN CHARGED.

## HEAVY BAIL FINED.

Mr. E. Davidson appeared before Magistrate Hutchison this morning to defend two Chinese charged with demanding money by threats and applied for a remand and bail.

Inspector Willis, who prosecuted, said that seven or eight men, of whom the defendants were two, went to a brother in Yufu Street, West Point, yesterday and demanded \$20 from one of the inmates, threatening to do her harm if the money was not forthcoming. She told them that she did not have any money in the house at the time, and asked them to call later. When they returned that evening, the woman blew a police whistle, and the men took to their heels. A couple of constables gave chase and arrested the two defendants. The Inspector said he had no objection to a remand, but he would have to ask for bail to be fixed in the sum of \$200 each.

Mr. Davidson said that the sum involved was only \$20, and he thought that to demand a bail of \$200 was extraordinary.

The Magistrate said that having regard to the locality where the offence was alleged to have been committed, he thought the bail was quite fair. The case would be remanded until Thursday next.

## THEATRE ROYAL.

## LEYLAND HODGSON CO.

## FINAL PERFORMANCE TO-NIGHT.

In the Theatre Royal last night the Leyland Hodgson Company considerably enhanced its reputation by the entertaining manner in which it presented "Rosebud," a comedy in which the individual, no less than the concerted efforts of the company to amuse the audience were highly successful.

The best piece in the Company's repertoire has been reserved for the final performance to-night, when "Persiana," a delightful comedy with beautiful scenery and brimful of humour, will be presented. But small idea of the excellence of this laughable piece was given in the brief outline of the plot published in yesterday's China Mail, as the success of the comedy is greatly enhanced, not only by the laughable contretemps which frequently arise, but also by the merit of individual contributions.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

## THE PRESERVATION OF WESTMINSTER ABBEY.

[To the Editor of the "China Mail"]

Sir,—We learned from your columns some days ago that the Dean and Chapter of Westminster Abbey have appealed for a sum of £250,000 for the preservation of the fabric of the Abbey.

The Church Body of St. John's Cathedral has decided to give the collection here on Sunday next, August 1st, for this purpose.

As the preservation of the Abbey is a matter of interest to all patriotic citizens of our Empire, I venture to address you on the subject. The Hon. Treasurer of this Cathedral (Mr. N. C. Wilson, the Mercantile Bank) will gladly receive any contributions for this purpose from those who are unable to be present here on Sunday, and I will forward them with the collection.—Yours, etc.,

H. COPEL MOYLE  
St. John's Cathedral,  
Hongkong, July 29th, 1920.

## BILLIARDS.

## PETTY OFFICERS' MESS.

## AN EXCITING GAME.

On Tuesday evening, at the Petty Officers' Mess, there was witnessed one of the most exciting billiard matches that has taken place in the history of the building, as the outcome of a challenge put forward by Stoker Petty Officer Gillard on his arrival on the China Station, which was quickly accepted by Petty Officer Baker, of H. M. S. "Tamar," late H. M. S. "Cadmus."

The game was 150 up level and the enthusiasm of the onlookers bore testimony to the excitement of the contest. Throughout the game P. O. Baker's confidence and skill were predominant. At times however, the challenger proved that he was a player not to be despised and hugged his opponent to a dramatic finish, leaving Petty Officer Baker the winner by the narrow margin of one. Stoker Petty Officer Gillard was most solid in pocketing, but the display of nursery canons of Petty Officer Baker was a source of delight to the billiard enthusiasts present.

## NARROW ESCAPE.

## WALLS CRASH DOWN.

A couple of firemen had very narrow escapes yesterday. They were supervising the removal of debris in the building in Des Voeux Road Central which was completely gutted by fire on Tuesday when they noticed that the walls looked very unsafe. They had no sooner left the building than the walls crashed down, bringing with them portions of the walls of the adjoining houses.

After the accident, the P.W.D. were busy shoring up the front and back walls of the building in order to prevent their collapse also.

## POOR BUT HONEST."

## YAGABOND'S "HARD" FATE.

A Chinese who was found by the police loitering about Des Voeux Road West about 3 a.m. indignantly protested to Magistrate Hutchison that he was not a rogue and a vagabond. He said that he might be poor, but he was neither a rogue nor a vagabond. He earned his living as a coolie, and slept in the streets. He was on his way to a laundry when he was arrested. "I was not always so wretched," he said in conclusion. "I was once a dealer in firewood. Fate was against me, and I lost several hundreds of dollars by fire. That caused my downfall."

The Magistrate passed sentence of two weeks' hard labour.

The Rev. Dr. John Roach Straton, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, warned New York recently that theatrical producers are planning to bring to the city a Paris production in which nude women appear. All sensible men are against extravagance, but is not this carrying economy too far?

## TO-DAY'S CABLES.

(Reader's Service to the China Mail)

## PLEBISCITE DISTRICTS.

## WITHDRAWAL OF TROOPS DEFERRED.

## SAFEGUARDING HELP TO POLAND.

BOULOGNE, July 23.—The Conference confirmed the decision of the Paris Conference of Ambassadors to defer the withdrawal of the British and Italian troops from the plebiscite districts in Eastern Prussia, and also, instructed Sir H. Tower, the Allied High Commissioner at Danzig, to prevent Allied help to Poland being jeopardized by political acts like the dockers' strike.

## EASTERN PEACE.

## WILL THE ALLIES REPEAT THEIR MISTAKE?

## GERMAN CHANCELLOR CURIOUS.

BERLIN, July 28.—Herr Simons, in a speech in the Reichstag, emphasized Germany's responsibility in participating in the support of Poland. He added that it would be curious to see whether the Entente would repeat the Versailles mistake of endeavouring to solve the Eastern Europe question without Germany. If so, he believed that eastern peace would be more unstable than the Versailles peace ever could become.

## SHOULD AMERICA PARTICIPATE?

LONDON, July 28.—At Boulogne yesterday Mr. Millerand proposed the Polish condition as a *sine qua non de France* for the participation in any peace conference. He also intimated that that was not the only condition. It is understood in official circles that it is possible America should unite with Britain and France in their attitude toward the Soviet. Mr. Lloyd George agreed to the condition with regard to Poland, and the conference ended, the appearance being given that the two Governments are in complete accord.

## REICHSTAG APPROVES SPA AGREEMENT.

The Reichstag approved the Spa agreement overwhelmingly.

## SOVIET TRADE MISSION.

LONDON, July 27.—The Soviet trade mission, including M. Kamenetz and M. Miliutin, left Moscow on July 26 to join M. Krassin in Stockholm. The mission is expected in London next week.

## AMERICAN COAL EXPORT.

WASHINGTON, July 28.—The Inter-State Commerce Commission has temporarily discontinued the export of coal.

## CEYLON.

## CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGES OUTLINED.

## POPULAR ELECTION EXTENDED.

## SUBSTANTIAL MAJORITY FOR UNOFFICIAL MEMBERS.

LONDON, July 28.—In the House of Commons, replying to Col. J. C. Wedgwood, Colonel Amery outlined the changes in the constitution of Ceylon giving a large measure of popular control over the administration, which Lord Milnes had decided to recommend to the King.

He said that it was proposed to alter the constitution of the Legislative Council by considerably extending the principle of popular election of members and giving unofficial members a substantial majority over the official vote. Excluding the Governor, who would preside, the reformed council would consist of 37 members comprising 14 official, and 23 unofficial. Sixteen, and subsequently 19, unofficials would be elected of whom two would represent the Europeans and one the Burghers. In order to prevent deadlock in essential matters, the Governor would be empowered to declare the passing of any measure of paramount importance, whereupon the measure may be carried by the votes of the official members. The Governor would also be empowered to prevent proceedings in Council with regard to any measure affecting the safety and tranquility of Ceylon. Three unofficial members on the Executive Council would be appointed.

## FRENCH IN SYRIA.

## GENERAL GOURAUD'S CONDITIONS ACCEPTED.

PARIS, July 28.—A message from Beirut states that the French occupied Aleppo on July 23 and entered Damascus on July 25. A New Sherifian government has been formed and has accepted General Gouraud's conditions, including immediate disarmament and the deposition of Emir Feisal, who has been asked to leave the country.

## THE FRENCH TERMS.

General Gouraud's conditions include the payment of 10,000,000 francs as reparation for the damage caused by guerrilla warfare, the Syrian army to be reduced and transformed into a police force, war material to be handed over to the French, and the principal guilty ones to be tried by military tribunals.

## KING HEDJAZ'S PROTEST.

LONDON, July 28.—King Hedjaz has recalled his representative at the peace conference in Paris owing to French action in Syria against which the King protested to the League of Nations.

## COAL REPARATIONS.

## BIG PAYMENT IN TREASURY BONDS.

PARIS, July 28.—The Boulogne Conference has decided that the Reparations Commission should be instructed to ensure the execution of the Spa agreement relative to coal. Germany is handing over on September 1 to the Commission treasury bonds to the value of 60,000,000 marks in gold falling due on May 1, 1921 with interest of six per cent. French circles are very satisfied with the results of the conference which was considered to correspond with French wishes.

## TURKISH NATIONALIST COMMANDER CAPTURED.

ANKARA, July 28.—It is reported that Jafartay, the Turkish Nationalist commander in Thrace, has been captured.

## POLICE SERVANTS' THEFT.

## \$160 TO BUY MEDICINE FOR DYING FATHER.

Sergeant Mass, of the Water Police, this morning charged a cook boy employed on board Police Launch No. 4, with the theft of \$200, the property of Lance Sergeant, Butcher. The defendant pleaded guilty to stealing \$160.

The Sergeant accepted the plea, and said that at 3.30 p.m. on Wednesday, when Lance Sergeant Butcher went to his cabin to change his clothes, he found his hat box broken open and the \$200 missing. When he asked the defendant if he knew anything about it he denied all knowledge of it. Yesterday, as the result of certain information received, a constable was sent to a house in Samatupoo, and there a friend of the defendant's handed \$160 to the constable with an intimation that the defendant had given it to him to keep. The Sergeant said that the money had passed the hands of no fewer than three persons before it was recovered.

Replies to the Magistrate, the Sergeant said that the defendant, who had been employed as cook boy by various police officers for the last six years, had hitherto borne a good character.

Asked why he stole the money, the defendant said that his father was very ill in the country and on the verge of death. He took the money to buy medicine.

The Magistrate passed sentence of six weeks' hard labour.

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AMOY, SHANGHAI AND PUROW.	SIYANG	Aug. 3 at Noon.
SWATOW & BANGKOK	LUCHOW	Aug. 3 at 4 p.m.
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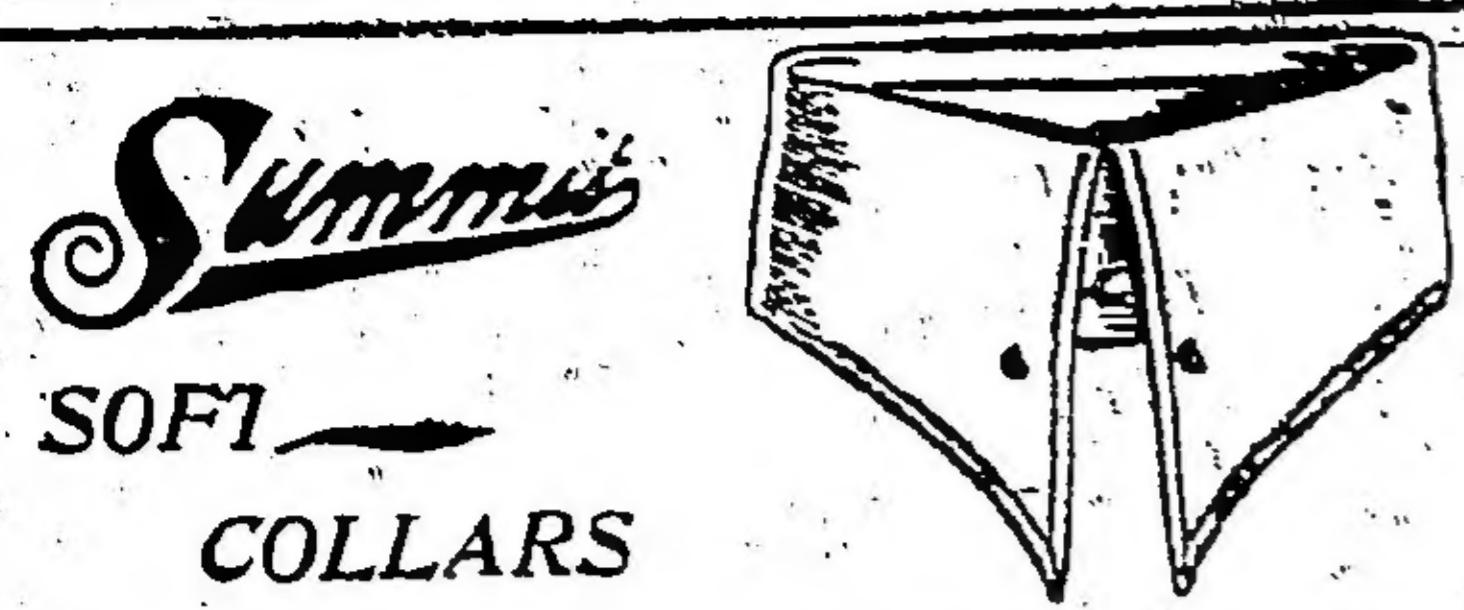
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To-day Norman Angell, whether he likes it or not, is a prophet whose prophecies have come true. Behind him, as he sits writing in his flat in the Temple, are copies of "The Great Illusion," printed in twenty languages; on the table in front of him newspapers from all parts of the world telling how the British pound is only worth 15s. in New York, how the French franc is worth less than after the great defeat of 1871, how the German mark can be bought for a halfpenny, how the whole of European civilization is trembling on the brink of economic collapse. The book and the newspapers are really one story. They show how, as Norman Angell stated again and again, a great European war, far from being impossible, was likely to occur, owing to the ignorance of mankind, but how it was indeed a great illusion to imagine that one nation could by war under modern conditions enrich itself at the expense of another. The state of the exchanges is merely an index to this failure.

We are now in a position, Norman Angell points out, to put the theories of "The Great Illusion" to the test of facts. We have been victorious in war. We have captured colonies, provinces, iron and coal mines. Our victory is so complete that our enemy can in no way resist any claims we may care to make in the matter of indemnity. And our enemy was one of the greatest and richest nations in the world. If ever a victor was in a position to enrich himself by victory it should be now. Well the Allies are not precisely rolling in riches. "We are victors—and mainly bankrupt." When we try to discount the indemnity with those who have the cash, as in America, we find that the bankers of that country regard the security as worthless. Why? Because that security could only have value if Germany could only pay great sums if she were allowed to re-establish her industry and trade, and become once more a "competitor." That some of us—notably perhaps France—will not allow. We will boycott her goods, forbid her to re-establish her foreign trade. So long as that is the case, there will be no adequate indemnity. It is the precise dilemma foretold in "The Great Illusion."

Norman Angell's conversation is necessarily sprinkled with phrases drawn from his famous book. It was there he stated ten years ago that "one of the indispensable foundations of wealth in modern Europe was a stable international credit." It was there he pointed out that the power to "take" the wealth of our enemy after a victorious war would not help us, for the fact of taking the wealth would destroy it. And now he asks: "What is the lesson the world has still to learn? It is this. We cannot base our national, political, and military security upon a policy which involves the destruction of the economic life of 100,000,000 people, for that economic life is essential to our own restoration, credit, and future prosperity. Political and military security must be based upon the truths embodied in the words interdependence and co-operation. If we make these truths

**DEAN'S EPIGRAMS.**
**WARNING OF INSTITUTIONAL RELIGION.**

Dean Inge, in a lecture at Sion College on June 7, rattled off epigrams for an hour, wherein some modern errors received a brilliant castigation.

"The saints and prophets of old did not know much about astrology," said Dr. Inge, "but they knew more about the Creator than we do. Men are known by their fruits, not by their roots.

"Of course," he proceeded, "we must not become too introspective; this is a danger for bookmen."

"The bookworm is no judge of practical life. We must apply our knowledge, and learn to think. Only a barbarian says 'I believe this because I was told so.' If people feel doubt, they should pull the skeleton out of the cupboard and have a good look at it.

**PATTERNABLE TO EVOLVE.**

"One of to-day's problems is to discover whether a thing is wrong because it is forbidden, or whether it is forbidden because it is wrong.

"People are fond of evolution. It is fashionable to evolve. Unfortunately the meaning of evolution is 'unrolling' from something already existent. Progress is essential, but there must be something from which to progress. The Church is therefore entitled to talk about evolution. Indeed, it is obliged to change and grow to meet new conditions."

"The history of institutional religion should warn us. It is one of decline, not progress. Institutions which were founded to protect the Faith have nearly ended in strangling it.

**HUMAN CLERGY NEEDED.**

"Drunkenness is curing itself. Sex isn't. We are now passing through a period of licence comparable to that of Charles II's reign or the Regency. It is always so after a big war. The moral sanctions are loosened. The cause is plain. 'Such as men themselves are, such will God to them appear to be.' Modern folk have a soft notion of punishment. If punishment is merely remedial and not retributive, why not look out for a new name?"

"The modern evolutionary optimism is not supported by science. People who abandon belief in any future punishment will be disillusioned. They are, however, right in refusing to believe that the Creator will take delight in torturing his handwriting."

"Modern life needs human clergy. It is not touched by the kind of priest who regards God as the head of the clerical profession. The modern boy and girl need conduct and duty hampered in. They are not impressed by gaudy vestments. Even the army has given up dressing soldiers in their Sunday best for battles."

**LYMAN ABBOTT AND OLIVER LODGE.**

Dr. Lyman Abbott, in his paper the *New York Outlook*, thus sums up Sir Oliver Lodge who has been lecturing in the United States:

"The hypothetical communications received in such spiritual visitations as Sir Oliver Lodge reports, or as have been reported in the 'Proceedings' of the Society for Psychical Research, so far as I have examined them, have added nothing of value to the sum of human knowledge and nothing to induce us to live nobler, purer, divine lives here or to clarify, illuminate or ennoble our conception of the life hereafter."

The starting point of our policy there is hope. If we ignore them we shall sink still further into the abyss."

The facts about coal are a simple illustration of the doctrine of interdependence which Norman Angell preached, largely to deaf ears, in "The Great Illusion." The wealth of England depends largely on the interchangeability of coal for the wealth of foreigners. If the foreigner has not got a surplus of wealth British coal has that much less value. That is to say, England needs the foreigner to turn her coal into real wealth. An indispensable element of the process is the credit system, which is the barometer of interdependence.

A curious point to observe is the way in which public men are now beginning to use the arguments, and even the language, which have been the subject of derision when quoted from *The Great Illusion*. Thus Mr. A. J. Gurdie, President of the Board of Trade, said at Plymouth recently:

"The lesson the war should have taught the traders of this country was this: that nations were interdependent, not independent. When they heard people prating of the independence of the trade of nations, it was certain they knew nothing really of what constituted their own greatest interest, and had no hesitation in saying that until we got Europe on her feet we should have no commercial or economic stability."

"The very jargon," exclaimed Norman Angell, "is the jargon I had to employ in that book!"

Indeed, it is hardly possible to open a current newspaper without the eye lighting on some fresh vindication of the once-deplored and rejected doctrine of Norman Angellism. Perhaps as significant as anything is the fact that a large demand for copies of "The Great Illusion" has recently sprung up in triumphant Prussia.

**DREAMS OF DELIGHT.**
**A SCIENTIFIC HINT TO ELUDE PUSSYFOOT.**

America's drink problem has been solved. Thousands of the American visitors now in London will go home full of thankfulness to Great Britain for having given them the recipe to remain "Pussyfoot" and yet not dry.

Mr. William Archer set for the plan in a fascinating lecture on Dreams which he gave at the Royal Institute.

"If you eat anchovies, pickles, olives, and other salty things before going to bed," he said, "you will, according to a prominent authority, dream that you are drinking all night. I recommend this practice especially to citizens of the U.S.A."

Mr. Archer quoted the experiences of psycho-analysts who had proved this theory, but none of them seemed to have progressed further than to drink gallons of dream water. It only requires a little practice and perseverance to progress from water to beer and thence to whisky or champagne or any other kind of dream beverage that is preferred. Most dreams cannot be enjoyed at will, however, according to Mr. Archer.

"If we could go to heaven every night," he said, "we would be of mighty little use in the daytime. Our days would be spent longing for the relief of sleep." The theory of Dr. Freud, the eminent dream psychologist, that all dreams are the result of suppressed wishes or desires was criticised by the lecturer, who proved by his own and others' experiences that the healthy normal person has many dreams which have not this origin.

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**THE SILK HAWKER.**

Hilda M. Love writes from Bang-

kok to the *Daily Mail*:

"Mem buy silk?"

The voice kept on in a monotonous sing-song until its insistence drew my eyes to the veranda edge where two bright black slits of eyes and a row of white teeth moved up and down.

A moment later he was squatting on the veranda, carefully undoing the wrappings of his wares, displaying the rich orange and violet blues below of the natives, delicate, misty, duck-egg silks favoured by Chinese women, soft, creamy silks, stiff white silks, and heavy lengths of Shantung.

"Can do six ties one yard," he said amiably.

Remembering all I had heard of Eastern methods of buying, I promptly flouted the figure, exactly halving it.

His look of hurt astonishment was a trifle disconcerting. He pulled fine threads of silk from the edge of the material to show me it was pure Foo-chow (how the very name fascinated).

But I held firm.

Then he yielded a trifle, but his yielding was ignored. With a patient smile he carefully folded up the silks, which he saw were not specially attractive to me, pausing between the folds to advance some fresh argument. Almost I succumbed. It seemed so mean to keep beating the polite creature down, for he had a gentle more-in-sorrow-than-in-anger method of bargaining. But even as I was on the point of closing, he made another offer which left me firmer than ever.

With a shake of his head he folded up his silks, lovingly and carefully replacing them in their original folds, smoothing them over gently, mutely holding up the silk we had bargained for, displaying the beauty of its sheen, gathering it in his fingers to show how softly it fell, displaying its width, then shaking his head again and replacing the silk in the wrapper.

"His movements fascinated me; so slowly and silently went he about his business that I got steeped in a silent reverie from which a sudden change of tactics roused me. He had his strap round the bundle, when, his amiable patience seemed to evaporate and a look of honest business resignation swept over his face."

Hastily he unfastened the wrapper, drew out my length of silk, promptly proceeded to measure it with a brisk yet resigned "Can do, mem, 3.25."

"Three ties," I insisted, some old merchant strain waxing strong within me as we argued again.

But even the novelty of buying silk from a hawker who looked like a chubby little Chinese doll can pall at 103 in the shade, and, wearying of the hour's unprofitable discussion, I left him to his wrappings.

Two minutes later there came a sound of tearing silk, and his face all smiles was opening and shutting with a "Three ties, mem, can do three."

Rather proudly I showed that silk to a visitor later in the day.

"Did you buy this from the little plump Chinese hawker?" she asked. I nodded, casually mentioning the price of my bargain.

"Three ties?" she exclaimed. "But I only gave him half that! My dear I never give them what they ask!"

The whole of the "Pakling's" fore-

foot was ripped right out of her and

the task of repairing her has been,

so to speak, a tiresome and complicated

but has by no means caused trouble

to the engineers of the Dock Co.

Upon completion of her repairs it

is expected that the vessel will be

loaded for London and her schedule

of call at ports will include Hongkong,

Manila and Singapore.

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CHAMBERLAIN'S Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy needs no glancing homely blazon. The product is well known.

The people who buy it all claim to

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It is a good remedy.

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## NOTICE TO SHIPPERS AND PASSENGERS.

## PROJECTED DEPARTURES.

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## AUSTRALIAN PORTS.

## SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

Aug. 6.-C. & A. S.S. Victoria.  
8.-A. O. Taiyuan.  
18.-N. Y. K. Afr. Maru.  
18.-P. & O. Eastern.  
Sept. 1.-C. & A. S.S. Hwang Ping.  
22.-N. Y. K. Tungo.  
22.-P. & O. Kanawa.  
25.-O. S. K. Kunisaki Maru.

## JAPAN PORTS.

July 31.-L. T. (D. & Co.) Inaburuk.  
31.-N. Y. K. Shinga Maru.  
Aug. 2.-N. Y. K. (D. & Co.) Boromo M.  
3.-M. M. Andro Lobo.  
8.-P. & O. Japan.  
4.-P. & O. Kanawa.  
9.-P. & C. Plassey.  
9.-B. F. Theseus.  
9.-P. & O. Jeppore.  
9.-N. Y. K. Nagata Maru.  
11.-J. C. J. Tjiloeel.  
15.-M. M. Paul Lecat.  
17.-P. & O. Khiva.  
19.-B. F. Lyacon.  
21.-N. Y. K. Tango Maru.  
26.-P. & O. Madura.  
31.-L. T. (D. & Co.) Hungary.  
Sept. 4.-M. M. Andro Echic.  
8.-P. & O. Nanjin.  
Oct. 8.-B. F. Teucer.

## AMERICAN PORTS.

VANCOUVER.  
Aug. 12.-C. P. O. S. Montague.  
12.-W. L. West Ivan.  
13.-A. L. City of Spokane.  
21.-O. S. E. Africa Maru.  
28.-C. P. O. S. Empress of Russia.  
Sept. 14.-C. P. O. S. Empress of Japan.  
17.-D. L. Empress of Asia.  
33.-C. P. O. S. Empress of Asia.  
21.-C. P. O. S. Empress of Russia.  
28.-C. P. O. S. Montague.

## VICTORIA.

Aug. 12.-W. L. West Ivan.  
15.-N. Y. K. Toyohashi Maru.  
16.-N. Y. K. Kashima Maru.  
19.-A. L. City of Spokane.  
21.-O. S. K. Africa Maru.  
22.-W. L. Delight.  
26.-D. F. Tallybius.  
Sept. 11.-N. Y. K. Fusimi Maru.  
Oct. 6.-B. F. Tyndareus.  
24.-B. F. Tallybius.  
Dec. 20.-B. F. Tyndareus.

## SEATTLE.

Aug. 7.-S. & D. West Ivis.  
10.-A. L. Elton.  
12.-W. L. West Ivan.  
15.-N. Y. K. Toyohashi Maru.  
16.-B. F. Ixion.  
19.-A. L. Kashima Maru.  
21.-O. S. K. City of Spokane.  
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## TACOMA.

Aug. 12.-W. L. West Ivan.  
13.-A. L. City of Spokane.  
21.-O. S. K. Africa Maru.  
22.-W. L. Delight.

## PORTLAND.

Aug. 24.-A. L. Coaxet.

## SAN FRANCISCO.

July 31.-I. P. L. Tjeroen.  
Ang. 6.-A. L. Elton.  
10.-D. L. West Adron.  
11.-P. M. S. Venezuela.  
12.-C. M. S. Nanking.  
28.-C. M. S. Nile.  
30.-I. P. L. Arakan.  
Sept. 2.-P. R. K. Shinyo Maru.  
13.-N. Y. K. Penang Maru.  
17.-T. K. S. China.  
24.-C. K. S. Korea Maru.  
Oct. 8.-P. M. S. Colombia.

## LOS ANGELES.

Aug. 3.-L. A. P. N. West Mont.  
25.-L. A. P. N. West Hilt.  
Sept. 15.-L. A. P. N. Vinta.  
Oct. 10.-L. A. P. N. West Histon.

## VALPARAISO.

VIA JAPAN, HONGKONG, SAN FRANCISCO,  
SAN PEDRO, S. LIMA, CHICAGO,  
CALLAO, AMERICA (ROUTE).

Sept. 9.-T. K. Anjo Maru.  
Nov. 9.-T. K. Seijo Maru.  
(VIA THE CAPE).

Aug. 2.-N. Y. K. Penang Maru.

13.-O. S. K. Mexico Maru.

## NEW YORK.

(VIA PANAMA)

July 31.-D. & Co. Lowther Castle.  
Aug. 6.-D. L. Green Dollar.  
12.-B. F. Pak Ling.  
12.-A. L. Facon.  
Sept. 9.-O. S. K. Honolulu Maru.  
12.-D. & Co. Egremont Castle.  
15.-A. L. Cape May.

## (VIA SUZ)

Aug. 1.-B. L. City of Gran.  
6.-B. F. Pak Ling.  
26.-N. Y. K. Akita Maru.  
27.-B. L. Birmingham City.  
Sept. 6.-B. L. Ningchow.  
20.-B. L. City of Dunkirk.  
Oct. 1.-B. F. Ajax.

## BOSTON.

July 31.-B. L. City of Oran.  
Aug. 27.-B. L. Birmingham City.  
Sept. 27.-B. L. City of Dunkirk.

"WALLA-WALLA" double-cross  
the harbour but never double-

## DURBAN AND CAPE TOWN.

(VIA BUENOS AIRES, RIO DE JANEIRO,  
SANTOS AND MAURITIUS.)

Sept. 9.-O. S. K. Chicago Maru

## EUROPEAN PORTS.

BRINDISI, VENICE, & TRIESTE.

Aug. 8.-I. T. (D. & Co.) Pilsa.

Sept. 8.-I. T. (D. & Co.) Innsbruck.

Oct. 8.-I. T. (D. & Co.) Hungaria.

## GENOA.

Aug. 12.-J. M. Glentara.

20.-B. F. Bellarophon.

Sept. 11.-B. F. Cyclops.

Oct. 12.-B. F. Euryalus.

Nov. 16.-B. F. Teucer.

## MARSEILLES.

Aug. 12.-P. & O. Lahore.

17.-M. M. Amazone.

18.-P. & O. Kalyan.

26.-P. & O. Phasis.

Sept. 7.-O. S. K. Alps Maru.

7.-I. & O. Jeypore.

11.-B. F. Cyclops.

14.-P. & O. Khiva.

19.-B. F. Euryalus.

26.-P. & O. Rankin.

Nov. 12.-B. F. Pelus.

16.-B. F. Teucer.

## LONDON.

Aug. 2.-J. M. Glenysle.

10.-N. Y. K. Atala Maru.

12.-J. M. Glenara.

12.-P. & O. Prometheus.

17.-R. F. Tansie.

18.-I. & O. Kalyan.

22.-J. M. Glenamoy.

26.-P. & O. Phasis.

Sept. 6.-J. M. Protosila.

7.-P. & O. Alp Maru.

7.-P. & O. Jeypore.

8.-R. F. Achilles.

10.-E. L. Mentor.

14.-P. & O. Titan.

20.-B. F. Swad.

21.-B. F. Mentor.

22.-B. F. Idomen.

23.-O. S. K. Narkiss.

Oct. 6.-P. & O. Pelus.

12.-R. F. Teucer.

## HAVRE.

Aug. 7.-B. F. Prometheus.

10.-P. & O. Kalyan.

14.-B. F. Alcion.

17.-B. F. Dania.

31.-B. F. Proteus.

Sept. 7.-O. S. K. Alp Maru.

17.-B. F. Rheta.

18.-B. F. Achilles.

21.-B. F. Easterling.

26.-B. F. Peleus.

## LIVERPOOL.

Aug. 14.-B. F. Alcion.

20.-B. F. Bellorophon.

20.-N. Y. K. Kanagawa Maru.

21.-B. F. Ryoma.

Oct. 5.-B. F. Cyclone.

19.-B. F. Euryalus.

Nov. 2.-B. F. Pelus.

16.-B. F. Teucer.

## ANTWERP.

Aug. 10.-N. Y. K. Absanta Maru.

12.-J. M. Cleopatra.

15.-A. L. West Campgaw.

16.-B. F. Dania.

21.-B. F. Proteus.

Sept. 6.-J. M. Glaucus.

7.-O. S. K. Alp Maru.

15.-A. L. Mentor.

21.-B. F. Teucer.

## ROTTERDAM.

Aug. 15.-A. L. West Campgaw.

17.-B. F. Dania.

Sept. 15.-A. L. Cleopatra.

Oct. 25.-B. F. Teucer.

## EXCHANGE.

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## TO-DAY'S CABLES.

(Reader's Service to the China Mail.)

PERSIAN O. L.

LONDON, July 28.

A message from Teheran says that the Americans have offered the Persian Government a large loan. The British financial adviser was requested to absent himself. It is believed that the Anglo-Persian oil agreement has been temporarily shelved.

MANNIX NOT TO LAND IN IRELAND.

LONDON, July 28.

It is officially announced that Archbishop Mannix will not be allowed to land in Ireland.

TURKISH GARRISON ENTERS BULGARIA.

LONDON, July 28.

Reuter learns that a large proportion of the Turkish garrison of Adrianople entered Bulgaria where it was disarmed and interned.

## SPECIAL CABLE

PLAQUE OF RATS.

ALL POSSIBLE MEASURES TAKEN.

[China Mail SPECIAL]

SINGAPORE, July 30.  
A plague of rats was found in several godowns at Tanjong Prick, Java. All possible measures have been taken.

TYphoon SIGNAL HOISTED.

GALE EXPECTED HERE.

The No. 1 Red typhoon signal was hoisted from the Observatory soon after 9.30 this morning. Soon after noon, it was substituted for the No. 4 Black signal which signifies that an East (N.E. to S.E.) gale is expected here.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Indian constable No. B394 was this morning charged before Magistrate Smith with unlawfully receiving a bribe of \$2 from a hawker. Mr. Leo Longinotto appeared for the defence and asked for a remand and bail. The case was remanded for a week, bail being fixed in the sum of \$200.

According to letters received from England the new Bishop of Hongkong was to be consecrated on June 24 at St. Paul's Cathedral. On the afternoon of that day he was going to hold a meeting at the Missionary Society's House to form a Victoria Hongkong Diocesan Association.

After the luncheon hour yesterday, when a number of people had gone away wondering what had happened to the Victoria Cafe, and after our reporter had been to verify their complaints, someone put up a notice to the effect that the premises were being repaired. So perhaps the consumers may yet get the meals they have paid for.

In consequence of the resignation of Mr. Vanstone, the office of Vicar of St. John's Cathedral became vacant. The Church Body decided to mark their appreciation of the way in which Mr. Vanstone had discharged his duties during the seventeen years he had held the office by voting to him a sum of \$500, as a parting gift. Mr. Everett has been appointed to the office of Vicar and entered on his duties on July 15th. Church Note.

CARLTON HOTEL

July 27.

Mrs. Allison & child Mr. & Mrs. Huddleson  
Mr. W. Bahr too and family  
Mr. E. Beavenstock Mrs. L. Johnson  
Mr. C. Botley Miss Keeley  
Mrs. S. Bountiff Mr. P. Keegh  
Mr. E. Bountiff Mr. D. Kerr  
Miss J. Bountiff Miss Kinsey  
Mr. J. M. Powen Mr. & Mrs. Leonards  
Mr. F. E. Cameron Mr. J. Wesley  
Dr. and Mrs. Clarke Mr. D. Lovan  
and family Mr. & Mrs. Maywhile  
Mr. & Mrs. Coulson Mr. McCullum  
Mr. E. Downing Mr. & Mrs. Scott  
Mr. E. M. Dane Mr. and Mrs. Mc-  
Ardle Davis Iratab  
Mr. & Mrs. D. D. Denton Mr. J. G. Melling  
Mr. L. U. Dunnington Mr. J. Nilda  
Miss K. Desmond Mr. A. Peterson  
Mr. B. Emmanuel Mr. O. A. Reinking  
Mr. E. Evans Mr. M. Elst  
Mr. & Mrs. Favis Mr. C. J. Rockledge  
Miss V. Field Mr. & Mrs. Schueler  
Mr. L. Gilson Mr. A. Souza  
Mr. and Mrs. Gordonson Booz  
Mr. M. Gregory Mr. & Mrs. Syers  
Miss L. Grey Mr. B. Standish  
Miss F. Harrington Scott  
Mr. L. Hodgeson Mr. G. Swanson  
Mr. Holliman Mr. V. Vanson  
Mr. Holloway Mr. A. Wan  
Mr. A. Van Horn

Notifications by Home newspapers of increase of price are still being made, the total for the year now being 40%. Among the 16 which increased their price in the week ending June 19, are the *Smart Set* (now 1s. 6d.) and the *Times Literary Supplement* (now 6d.).

Notices of one month's hard labour was passed.

One death occurred in Hongkong yesterday from enteric fever. The victim was a Chinese.

## NOTICES.

## MURDER WILL OUT.

MAN ARRESTED IN TOKYO AFTER TEN YEARS.

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The murderer is Otomatsu Watanabe, an old actor, who has a police record of five burglaries to his name. He was recently arrested after he had entered a geisha house with the intention of robbing. This time he was identified by a finger print as the perpetrator of the crime of ten years ago. When accused of this crime, he made a full confession, Japan Advertiser.

The murderer of Otsuya has been arrested after a search for him of ten years. This case was known as the "Otsuya goroshi," or the murder of a woman named Otsuya, and was the talk of the town for a number of years. The murderer was committed in what was then a lonely open space, known as Mitsubishi-Hara, now occupied by the big Mitsubishi buildings and the Tokyo Station.

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